

To our Birth Parents,

Thank you for loving this baby enough to consider adoption. We realize that this is a difficult time for you. We appreciate you considering our family to raise this baby and love them as much as you.

We wanted to take this opportunity to tell you a little bit about our family. We are Jill and Joe and we have a 7-year-old son. Joe is a jokester, he is playful and fun. He loves fishing and nature. I (Jill) am more serious and the planner. I love to read, swim, sing, and be outside with my son when he plays with the neighborhood kids. We are both in the medical field and love to help others. We live in a large town but have a small neighborhood and we love and do a lot with our neighbors. We attend a large church and love the children's ministry there. We have been to VBS, water days, and lots of other activities there. Our son has tried a few sports and we like him to have one after school activity a year like Karate or soccer. As a family we love to go fishing on lakes and especially at the beach. We love the beach and enjoy nature experiences like seeing alligators and on our honeymoon, we snorkeled and even swam near some sharks. We have a great social group with our neighbors that have kids and we have a few honorary grandparents who live nearby and spoil our son as well. We have dinner outside with our neighbors and let the kids play and the adults talk, and we all have a great time. Our house is kind of the gathering spot for the group and the kids ride bikes, catch fireflies, and just get to have fun!

We love children and have always wanted lots of children, but we have issues with fertility. We went thru fertility treatments for our son and tried again and this was not to be. We have always wanted to adopt since we got married (2009) before we even knew about our fertility issues. We wanted to help love and provide a home for a child that needs it. We have the upmost respect and compassion for birth parents, and we are extremely grateful and honored that you would consider placing your child with us. We believe that children are a joy and have been talking about this next adventure of adding another child to our family. Our extended families and friends are so excited that we are pursuing adoption and can't wait to love on another child and accept him or her just like they were born into our family.

We are praying for you and your family during this time of decision and would like to tell you that we would love your baby like he/she was born from us and will provide everything they will need to have a successful future. We love education and want only the best for our child(ren). We want good schools, lots of extracurricular activities, and raising him/her in a home that goes to church, prays, and loves God. We want our child(ren) to go to college and have lots of opportunities in life. We pray with our son every night during which we pray for our families and we pray that our son grows up to be a healthy man who loves God and loves his family. We have already been praying for your child whether he/she joins our family or not. If given the opportunity, you will be talked about fondly and in such an appreciative way that you loved them so much that you entrusted them to us to care for and they get to be loved by 2 sets of parents.

Thank you for considering our family!

Joe and Jill